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Provider Profile

Community Resources for Justice

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People Served: 10 to 25 people

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Accepting new people? Yes

The agency is qualified to provide the services listed below:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adult Companion | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individualized Day Supports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Day Health | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individualized Home Supports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted Living | <input type="checkbox"/> Interpreter Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clinical Behavioral Support Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Live In Care Giver |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Living Arrangement | <input type="checkbox"/> Nutrition |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Continuous Residential Supports | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Personal Supports |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Group Day Supports | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Respite |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Care Coordination | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Supported Employment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent Support Brokers | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transportation |
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Towns Served:

COVENTRY MANCHESTER SIMSBURY WINDSOR

Information provided by the provider describing their agency:



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AT COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR JUSTICE, WE BELIEVE THAT SOCIETY GAINS WHEN ALL PEOPLE ARE GIVEN THE SUPPORT AND TOOLS THEY NEED TO LEAD RESPONSIBLE, PRODUCTIVE AND DIGNIFIED LIVES.

For more than 130 years, some of society's most challenged citizens have benefitted from the programs and services we provide. Our work is organized along three areas of practice:

- Social Justice Services transitions ex offenders back into mainstream society and diverts at-risk youth away from crime and toward a productive and fulfilling life;
 - Community Strategies provides adults with intellectual disabilities a chance to grow and flourish in the community by offering residence in small group home settings;
 - The Crime and Justice Institute provides research and consulting services which advance evidence-based practices that inform systems-level change. Around the nation, we are making neighborhoods safer and improving the quality of life for all through strong public policy development and legislation.
- Guided by excellence, creativity, and compassion, we support individual transitions, strengthen families and improve community safety.

Community Strategies provides individuals with developmental or intellectual disabilities, with specialized residential or community-based services. We are currently providing services in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Vermont and Connecticut. Our services are designed to meet the specific needs of the individual and usually take the shape of shared living, congregate residential living, day programming and supported apartments. We bring a unique combination of a clear understanding of people with developmental disabilities as well as competence in treatment of the mental health issues that frequently occur in this population. This expertise has allowed many people who would be living in institutional settings, the opportunity to live in the community in less restrictive settings. Through our models of care, our staff provides a balanced mix of supervision, treatment and freedom that helps these community settings be nurturing environments.

With a firm belief in the therapeutic benefits of human relationships as the basis for growth and change, we challenge the individuals in our programs to become as independent as possible. We encourage them to exercise their right to take risks as well as their responsibility to actively participate in their service planning. We ensure that both our clients' human rights and civil rights are in place, and that they are informed on self-advocacy.

CRJ's Community Strategies Department operates 26 private shared-living residences occupied by 3 to 5 individuals and staffed 24-hours-a-day. Tailored programs include individual and group therapy and are geared to foster independence and improve living skills and pro-social behavior. Clinical supports are augmented with job development, on-the-job coaching and educational opportunities.

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